

Senate Study Bill 3106 - Introduced

SENATE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE
ON JUDICIARY BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON ZAUN)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the medical cannabidiol Act, by granting
2 the medical cannabidiol board the authority to alter the
3 definition of medical cannabidiol and to alter the list of
4 debilitating medical conditions for which the use of medical
5 cannabidiol would be medically beneficial.
6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 124E.2, subsection 6, Code 2018, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 6. "*Medical cannabidiol*" means any pharmaceutical
4 grade cannabinoid found in the plant *Cannabis sativa* L. or
5 *Cannabis indica* or any other preparation thereof that has a
6 tetrahydrocannabinol level of no more than three percent,
7 unless otherwise provided by the medical cannabidiol board
8 by rule, and that is delivered in a form recommended by the
9 medical cannabidiol board, approved by the board of medicine,
10 and adopted by the department pursuant to rule.

11 Sec. 2. Section 124E.5, subsection 3, paragraph b, Code
12 2018, is amended to read as follows:

13 ~~b. Making recommendations relating to the removal or~~
14 ~~addition of debilitating medical conditions to~~ Adding
15 debilitating medical conditions to or removing debilitating
16 medical conditions from the list of allowable debilitating
17 medical conditions for which the medical use of cannabidiol
18 under this chapter would be medically beneficial by rule.

19 Sec. 3. Section 124E.5, subsection 4, Code 2018, is amended
20 to read as follows:

21 4. Recommendations made by the medical cannabidiol board
22 pursuant to subsection 3, paragraphs "b" and paragraph "e",
23 shall be made to the board of medicine for consideration, and
24 if approved, shall be adopted by the board of medicine by rule.

25 Sec. 4. Section 124E.5, subsection 6, Code 2018, is amended
26 by striking the subsection.

27 EXPLANATION

28 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
29 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

30 This bill grants the medical cannabidiol board authority to
31 alter the definition of medical cannabidiol under the medical
32 cannabidiol Act (Code chapter 124E), to increase the allowable
33 tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) level to more than 3 percent. The
34 bill also allows the medical cannabidiol board to alter the
35 list of debilitating medical conditions for which the medical

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1 use of cannabidiol would be medically beneficial.

2 The bill strikes current law which allows the medical
3 cannabidiol board to recommend increasing the THC level to more
4 than 3 percent to the general assembly and that the general
5 assembly shall have the sole authority to alter the definition
6 of medical cannabidiol.